Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, South Dakota was founded with hard work, perseverance, dedication to duty, and concern for others, and each of these attributes can be ascribed to Alice Wright, who is retiring after serving 42 years for the state of South Dakota; and,

Whereas, Alice has been a longstanding and dedicated public servant to the state of South Dakota having worked for the Wheat Commission, Governor's Office, and Governor's Office of Economic Development; and,

Whereas, Alice shared her talent by volunteering to serve as the head of the decorating committee for events such as the Governor's Invitational Pheasant Hunt and the Governor's Economic Development Conference. She has been involved in the planning of several Governor's Inaugurals, and other special events such as the World War II, Korean War, and Vietnam War dedications; and,

Whereas, Alice completed her state government career serving as the Made in South Dakota coordinator, working closely with more than 500 businesses across the state; and,

Whereas, Alice's positive attitude, strong work ethic, and genuine passion for serving the people of this great state will be remembered by her co-workers; and,

Whereas, Alice will retire on December 19, 2013, and it is fitting and proper as Governor to make special note of this outstanding South Dakotan on this momentous occasion:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim December 19, 2013, as

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in South Dakota, and I join with her family, friends, and colleagues in wishing her a fulfilling and happy retirement.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Tenth Day of December in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Thirteen.

Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Jason M. Gant, Secretary of State